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	Filing Date	02/27/2004
	First Named Inventor	Karapet Ablabutyanyan
	Art Unit	3652
	Examiner Name	Not Assigned Yet
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**FEE TRANSMITTAL****OCT 25 2004****for FY 2005**

Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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**Complete If Known**

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1001	790	2001	395	Utility filing fee	
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1004	790	2004	395	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	
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**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE**

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
-20** =	X		0
Independent Claims	-3** =	X	0
Multiple Dependent			0

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Code	Fee (\$)	Code	Fee (\$)		
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20	
1201	88	2201	44	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203	300	2203	150	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1204	88	2204	44	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 over original patent	
<b>SUBTOTAL (2)</b>				<b>(\$)</b>	<b>0</b>

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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	430	2252	215	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	980	2253	490	Extension for reply within third month	980
1254	1,530	2254	765	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,080	2255	1,040	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	340	2401	170	Notice of Appeal	
1402	340	2402	170	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	300	2403	150	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,370	2453	685	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,370	2501	685	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	490	2502	245	Design issue fee	
1503	660	2503	330	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (Specify)					
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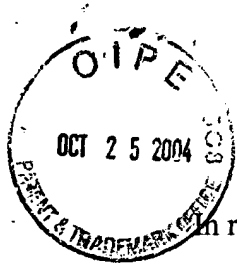
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In re patent application of:

Karapet Ablabutyan et al.

Application No.: 10/789,909

Filed: February 27, 2004

For: **LIFT WITH ACTIVE OPENER ARM**

Group Art Unit: 3652

Examiner: Not Assigned Yet

Confirmation No. 8918

Date Mailed: October 20, 2004

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY  
(NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION)**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply mailed August 20, 2004, for the above-captioned United States patent application, Applicants respectfully submit the following:

1. Notice of Incomplete Reply (NonProvisional);
2. Replacement Drawings, 7 sheets, 11 Figures;
3. Petition for Extension of Time (Three Month);

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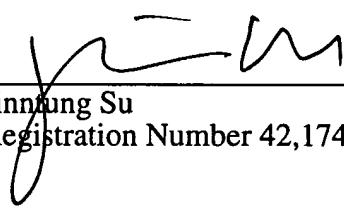
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Respectfully submitted,

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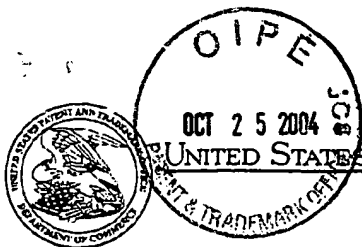
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Title: LIFT WITH ACTIVE OPENER ARM  
MPP File No.: 23451-042 Atty/Secty Initials: JSu/sh  
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- ☒ Response to Notice of Incomplete Reply (2 pgs.)
- ☒ Notice of Incomplete (2 pgs.)
- ☒ Replacement Drawings, 7 Sheets, 11 Figures (7 pgs.)
- ☒ Petition of Extension of Time (Three Months) (1 pg.)
- ☒ Transmittal Letter, in duplicate (1 pg.)
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A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application. Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 1.
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